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SUBJECT: IRAN'S SURPLUS PROPERTY DEBT

REF: TEHRAN 8391

1. THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON "TAXATION AND DEBT MANAGEMENT GENERALLY" OF THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE HAS REQUESTED A WITNESS FROM STATE, TREASURY AND EXIMBANK TO TESTIFY ON "INTERNATIONAL DEBT" ON JANUARY 23, 1978. THE SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRMAN (SENATOR HARRY F. BYRD JR.) HAS EXPRESSED PARTICULAR INTEREST IN ARREARAGES ON DEBT OWED TO THE USG. ON THE BASIS OF PAST SUBCOMMITTEE HEARINGS AND ON SENATOR BYRD'S INTEREST IN DEBT OWED BY OPEC COUNTRIES, WE EXPECT THE QUESTION OF THE IRANIAN SURPLUS PROPERTY ARREARAGE TO RECEIVE PROMINENT ATTENTION.

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2. REQUEST YOU CONTACT FINANCE MINISTER YEGENEH PRIOR TO SENATE HEARING TO FOLLOW-UP ON PAST CONVERSATIONS WITH ANSARY TO SEE IF PROGRESS CAN BE MADE IN RESOLVING THIS LONGSTANDING ISSUE.
3. WE ARE UNAWARE OF ISSUE HAVING BEEN RAISED DURING ANSARY'S SEPTEMBER VISIT (AS EMBASSY SUGGESTED REFTTEL) OR IN SUBSEQUENT HIGH-LEVEL US-GOI CONTACTS. VANCE

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